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TAGS: EGEN, LAFTA

SUBJ: ANDEAN PACT: STATUS OF RATIFICATION OF
VENEZUELA'S ADMISSION

REF: STATE 245063

1. CARLOS ONS, LAFTA LEGAL ADVISER, DESCRIBED STATUS OF
VENEZUELA'S ADMISSION TO ANDEAN PACT AS FOLLOWS:

A) CONSENSUS OF LIMA INCORPORATING AMENDMENTS TO TREATY
OF CARTAGENA HAS BEEN RATIFIED BY ALL PACT MEMBERS EXCEPT
BOLIVIA. ON DEC 17, LAFTA SECRETARIAT WAS NOTIFIED
THAT COLOMBIA HAD COMPLETED RATIFICATION PROCESS.

B) WHEN CONSENSUS OF LIMA COMES INTO EFFECT UPON RATIFICATION
BY BOLIVIA, VENEZUELA WILL DEPOSIT INSTRUMENT OF ACCESSION
TO CARTAGENA TREATY IN LIMA, NOT AT LAFTA. ADMISSION WILL
BE DATE OF DEPOSIT. SECRETARIAT AT LIMA WILL NOTIFY
LAFTA WHEN INSTRUMENT DEPOSITED.

C) VENEZUELA HAS DEPOSITED WITH LAFTA INSTRUMENT OF
ACCESSION TO CARTAGENA TREATY BUT THIS SOLELY BECAUSE OF
ARTICLE IV OF FINAL ACT SIGNED IN LIMA 13 FEB 1973
AND NOT BECAUSE OF LAFTA REQUIREMENTS FOR SUB-REGIONAL
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AGREEMENTS SET FORTH IN EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE RESOLUTION 165

OF 19DEC68. WHY THE FINAL ACT REQUIRED THIS
PROCEDURE IS NOT KNOWN TO LAFTA SECRETARIAT, PERHAPS IT
WAS A SIMPLE ERROR BUT IT HAS BEEN COMPLIED WITH BY
VENEZUELA. DEPOSIT WITH LAFTA HAS NO EFFECT ON DATE OF
MEMBERSHIP WHICH, AS MENTIONED, IS THE DATE INSTRUMENT
DEPOSITED WITH ANDEAN PACT SECRETARIAT IN LIMA.

3. COPIES OF RELEVANT ACTS AND LAFTA ACTIONS HAVE BEEN
POUCHED TO ARA/ECP.
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